



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
CAP Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 12/31/17

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 12/30/17

Time: 6:49pm

Location of Offense/Incident: 847 E. 11th Ave.

Zone: 4

Precinct: 5

Incident Report #: 171121239

Cruiser District: 50

Victim: Richard P. Hodge Jr.

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 27

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

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Charges:

Incident Summary: On Saturday December 30, 2017 at approximately 6:49 p.m., the Columbus Division of Police received a call and were requested to respond to 847 E. 11th Ave. (Beverage Warehouse). Initial information indicated that someone had been shot. Patrol officers responded and discovered Richard P. Hodge Jr. inside of the entry door. He had been shot and was in critical condition. Columbus Fire responded and transported the victim to OSU Wexner Medical Center. The victim succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced at 7:23 p.m. The incident is believed to have started outside of the entry door in the parking area. No suspect(s) or motives at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this homicide is asked to contact the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at 614-645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS(8477).

This is the 143rd homicide of 2017.

This case remains under investigation.

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